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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In an Office Action mailed on **March 25, 2004**, on the above-identified application, a shortened statutory period of 3 months was set for response. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), applicant(s) hereby request(s) a:

- ☐ one month
- ☐ two months
- ☒ three months
- ☐ four months

time extension so that the period for response to the Office Action expires on **September 25, 2004**.

Authorization to charge the fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-2849 appears in the accompanying transmittal letter. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2849 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

Respectfully submitted,

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